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Mattresses	-\$2.50 and Upwards.
Bedsteads	1.75 "
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SPECIAL BARGAINS IN... GENT'S PINE WOOL HALF HOSE.

OUR PRICES:
Heavy all wool at 12 1/2 cents per pair.
Natural wool, medium weight, 12 1/2
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EXTRA—Four pair of Jerseys,
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Best Imported Mao, black, 8 pair
for \$1.00.

MAX LEVIT'S,
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Hatter and Gent's Furnisher.

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...J. J. PRICE'S RELIABLE STAND...

Where on the same basis you can find a full and complete line of
Ladies', Misses' and Children's

COATS - AND - CAPES

Of the very latest and best styles. Prices and
quality guaranteed.

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St.,
Shenandoah, Pa.

MORGAN'S BAZAR.

\$1.00 GAMES	75c. GAMES	PICTURE BLOCKS,
Reduced as follows:	Reduced as follows:	Reduced from
Base Ball to .50c	Chessinda to .65c	\$1.00 to 75c
Parchesi " .90c	Skirmish to .50c	.75c to 50c
Game of Witches 75c	In the Soup .60c	.50c to 35c
Chevy Chase .75c	Game of Bobb .50c	
Wild West .75c	Some 50c. Games to	Bureaus, 47c, 35c, 23c
Basalinda .75c	35 Cents.	Doll Beds, 47c, 35c, 23c
Attack .75c		

Cheapest Toy House in Shenandoah.

COLUMBIA : BREWING : COMPANY

...BREWERS OF... Lager Beer, Porter and Ale.

All the product of this brewery are made of
pure malt and hops of which we buy the best
and endeavor always to

MAKE THE BEST
that can possibly be produced.

Reduction in Wall Paper.

From 25 cents to 20 cents; from 10 cents to 8 cents. All other grades
accordingly. This stock must be disposed of at once, in order that I
can enlarge my store. These bargains will hold good for a short time
only. Come at once and take advantage of the reduction.

Thomas H. Snyder, PAINTER, PAPER HANGER AND
DEALER IN WALL PAPER.
23 S. Jardin St., Shenandoah, Pa.

WHAT 25c WILL

...Buy in Foreign Fruits...

- Two Pounds Cluster Raisins.
- Two Pounds London Layer Raisins.
- Three Pounds Choice Blue Raisins.
- Four Pounds Choice Muscatel Raisins.
- Three Pounds Off Stalk Valencia Raisins.
- Three Pounds Choice Seedless Raisins.
- Two Pounds Sultana Seedless Raisins.
- Two Pounds Seeded Raisins.
- Three Pounds New Cleaned Currants.
- Four Pounds New Gem Currants.
- Two Pounds Citron and Lemon Peel.
- Two Pounds Layer Figs.
- Four Quarts New White Beans.
- Four Quarts New Green Beans.

OFFICIALS SENTENCED.

The Blythe Township School Directors and
Auditors.

POTTSVILLE, Dec. 14.—When the court
opened this morning the convicted Blythe
township School Directors and Auditors were
called up for sentence. School Directors
James Kenna, Martin Delaney, M. J. Whalen,
Michael Conroy and James Clemens, who
were convicted of bribery, malfeasance in
office and several other charges, were sen-
tenced to pay costs, \$100 fine, each, make res-
titution and serve one year imprisonment.

The convicted Auditors, John Dunphy,
Maurice Finley and Michael Fogarty, were
sentenced to pay \$1 fine, costs and serve ten
months imprisonment.

School Director James McKenna was also
sentenced to pay costs, \$1 fine and serve ten
months imprisonment for conspiracy, and T.
J. Devine received a like sentence on a
similar charge.

School Director Brennan, who turned wit-
ness for the Commonwealth, and told how
his colleagues and the Auditors juggled the
funds of the School District, assessed the
school teachers, etc., was not sentenced and
will probably be released.

Diamonds, watches, rings, silverware,
fancy goods, cut glass and banquet lamps
with Dresden or silk shades, at A. Holder-
man's.

The Talletts in Trouble.

Martin and Patrick Tallett, of Lost Creek
No. 2, on Saturday hired a horse and carriage
from Fred. Kurtz for a few hours to attend a
funeral. Kurtz awaited their return until
night and then procured a warrant from
Justice Green, of Wm. Penn. for their arrest.
Patrick was taken into custody and furnished
\$300 bail for a hearing before the Justice this
evening. Martin hurried off to McAdoo and
was arrested by a constable at that place yester-
day. This morning Constable Joe Peters,
of Wm. Penn. went to McAdoo to bring
Martin back.

Ladies' and gent's gold rings. At Maley's.

Brennan's New Restaurant.

Bean soup for free lunch to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Dynamite For Soiled Doves.

At about one o'clock Sunday morning a
terrific report of an explosion was heard in
the Fifth ward. It startled sleepers in many
parts of the town and it was believed by
some that boilers had exploded, but an
investigation showed that the report was due
to an explosion of dynamite which had been
placed under a house on Strawberry alley
occupied by two notorious characters known
as "Jersey Lillies" whose presence in the
neighborhood is obnoxious to the respectable
residents. The explosion only tore a few
weather boards from the house, but the
report scared many people badly. The per-
petrators of the act are unknown.

Watch chains in varieties, Maley's, the
jeweler.

Fayne's Nursery.

Genuine Chinese sacred lilies, at five cents
each, until Christmas, at Fayne's greenhouse,
Girardville. 12-14-96-eod

Arranging for Christmas.

The pastor and members of the M. E.
church call attention of the people generally
to the arrangements fully made for giving a
grand concert and entertainment in the
church next Friday evening, Dec. 18th.
There will be a number of special attractions.
Solo and chorus singing, mandolin and
guitar clubs, recitations and other pleasing
features. Proceeds for the benefit of Sunday
School Christmas fund.

More diamonds at Holderman's than any
store in the county.

The Slovianski Move.

Yesterday afternoon about one hundred
Slovianski met in the basement of the
Greek Catholic church and appointed Joseph
Kobal and Anthony Ousack to look after
their interests for the spring election. They
decided that Ousack shall be their candi-
date for the Democratic nomination for
Council in the Fifth ward. A meeting will
be held next Monday to increase the mem-
bership of the club.

The finest stock of palms and ferns, at
reasonable prices, at Payne's nursery,
Girardville. 12-14-96-eod

Under Ball for Trial.

Saturday was pay day at the P. & R. col-
lieries over the hill and as one of the results
Justice Cardin's docket bears the names of
several parties to suits. Joseph Nosavage,
John Strolis, Simon Kusinisis, William
Sagasis and Charles Seveky were arrested
on charges of assault and battery and each
was held in \$200 bail for trial at court.
Kusinisis and Nosavage were also held on
charges of carrying concealed deadly
weapons.

Hickert's Cafe.

Our free lunch to-morrow morning will
consist of Boston Baked Beans and pork.

Were Disappointed.

A crowd of several hundred gridiron ad-
mirers who had wended their way to the
Trotting park yesterday afternoon to witness
the game between the Lions of the First
ward, and the Tigers, of Mahanoy City, were
sorely disappointed, the visitors failing to
appear on the grounds. The home team was
there in full war paint, and a good game was
expected, but the animals from Mahanoy
City were missing.

Handsome presents, hand decorated china,
cut glass and statuary, at Brumm's.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

The pulpit of the Presbyterian church
was occupied by Rev. Gubler, of Princeton
college, New Jersey, yesterday. He served
the congregation with two able sermons,
which were attended by two large and appreci-
ative audiences. During his stay here he
was the guest of Mine Inspector Stein and
family.

Diamond rings, solitaires in prices from
\$.50 to \$150. Diamond earrings, diamond
pendants and lace pins at A. Holderman's,
corner Main and Lloyd streets.

Cavanaugh Won.

The shooting match between Fred. Hart, of
town, and Frank Cavanaugh, of Raven Run,
was won by Cavanaugh.

THE DEATH OF GENL. MACEO

Sensational Reports Regarding the Affair
Denied.

HE WAS NOT LED INTO AMBUSH,

But Came Across a Party of Spanish Guer-
rillas Whom He Mistook For Allies—The
Commander Killed at the First Fire,
and His Companions Fled.

HAVANA, Dec. 14.—Further inquiries by
the correspondent of the Associated Press
have elicited the following additional de-
tails, which are positively reliable, of the
manner in which Antonio Maceo met his
death. It is known that Maceo expected
the insurgent brigadier general Sanchez
to concentrate his forces in Havana provin-
ce in readiness for Maceo when he should
pass the trocha. It happened, however,
that in passing the Spanish column com-
manded by Major Cienfuegos Maceo mis-
took the force of guerrillas under Perat
for Sanchez's vanguard, and found him-
self amongst them before he discovered
his mistake. At the first volley from the
Spanish Maceo fell wounded. The in-
surgents, taken by surprise, commenced a
general fire as they retreated, and aban-
doned Maceo in a dying condition.

Colonel Feljoo has had an engagement
at Campo Florida, near Havana, with the
concentrated forces of the insurgents
which were with Maceo at the time he was
killed, and which are now following the
loaders Aguirre, Castillo, Aranguen,
Cardenas, Gallo and Lozo, and which
number 1,800 horsemen. Colonel Feljoo
again met these forces at Tumba Ouarto,
where he inflicted a loss of eighteen killed,
their wounded being carried off. The
Spanish had nineteen wounded.

Private advices from Santiago de los
Vegas, in this province, state that the
prominent insurgent leader, Perico Del
gado, has been seriously wounded and has
remained hidden in the woods since the
last engagement with General Figueroa.
These advices add that it is expected that
several bodies of insurgents will soon sur-
render to the Spanish authorities.

The steamer San Ignacio has arrived
here, having on board 1,340 soldiers to re-
inforce the Spanish forces in Cuba.

In an interview with a correspondent for
a Madrid newspaper the captain general
states that he has returned to Havana in
order to disperse the rebels who are flock-
ing into the province of Havana. He
says he will then return to Pinar del Rio,
which he hopes to effect the pacification
in three weeks. The captain general
said to this correspondent that Maceo's
death was a terrible blow to the in-
surgents, that they had no other general equal
to him in prestige, and that many in-
surgents were likely to abandon their
arms in consequence of his death.

Upon the initiative of the chiefs of the
volunteers there was a grand demonstra-
tion at the palace last night in honor of
Captain General Weyler. By 8 o'clock in
the evening the streets along the line of
march were packed with a moving mass
of people and the balconies of the houses
were covered. At 8:30 o'clock a proces-
sion of volunteer troops marched to the
music of a band down Obispo street to the
palace amid the vivas of the population.
There was more enthusiasm even than on
the day Captain General Weyler returned
to Havana. The Marques of Apeztegui,
the leader of the Conservative party, the
committee of public defense, and other
patriotic societies took part in the demon-
stration.

La Lucha and other Spanish papers are
quite bitter over the story sent out regard-
ing Maceo's death, and deny it emphati-
cally. Palace officials also deny it, and it
is stated that General Weyler will deny it
over his own signature.

More fighting is reported in the suburbs,
and the insurgent forces are reported as
numbering several thousand. The work
of entrenching is being pushed to the ut-
most, and many pieces of new artillery
have been mounted. Two thousand troops
arrived from Spain yesterday, and they
were enthusiastically received as they
marched through the streets. They were
all undressed, and appeared like boys.

AID FOR FREE CUBA.

Offers of Assistance Coming from All Sec-
tions of the Country.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The head-
quarters of the Cuban legation in this city
was the center of interest to a number of
callers yesterday, who had come to ex-
press to Senator Quesada their sorrow at the death
of General Maceo and to offer their sym-
pathy and in some cases help for the
Cuban cause. These callers included a
number of congressmen and two senators
(whose names the Cuban representatives
declined to disclose), but who expressed
their desire to see some action taken by
congress that would be of some assistance
to the insurgents.

Senator Quesada states that he has re-
ceived during the past few days about
fifty letters, many of which came from
persons and organizations offering to send
money to assist the Cubans in fighting for
liberty. Among the states and cities
represented in these letters are: Wash-
ington, Wyoming, Kansas, Indianapolis,
Buffalo, Evansville, Ind., and Waterbury,
Conn. Responsive to these letters, Mr.
Quesada authorizes his former statement
that the Cubans have enough men and
leaders to gain the cause for which they
are fighting. They can avail themselves
of 50,000 men, and more if necessary, but
what they need is arms and ammunition
and medicine for the sick and wounded.

It is said offers of assistance from abroad
have been received. The Paris agent of
the Junta says that not only the Cubans,
but the French people, after hearing of
the assassination and death of Maceo, are
collecting all they can to send an expedi-
tion, to be called "Expedition of General
Maceo," to Cuba. Mr. Quesada states that
from San Domingo and Mexico also came
assurances of contributions to the cause,
while the workmen and merchants of
Tampa, Fla., say they will give not only
10 per cent of their earnings weekly, but
will work three Sundays in every month
in order to give their wages for free Cuba.
The agent at Jacksonville, Fla., wires
that the Cuban cause has been

BANKS SUSPEND.

A Failure That Affects Hollidaysburg,
Martinsburg and Williamsport.

SPECIAL TO EVENING HERALD.
HOLLIDAYSBURG, Dec. 14, 1 p. m.—The
First National Bank of this place suspended
payments this morning.

The failure produced the greatest excite-
ment and the announcement precipitated
the failure of the Martinsburg Deposit Bank, of
Martinsburg, and Williamsport Bank, of
Williamsport.

Breen's Hatto Cafe Free Lunch.
Vegetable soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.
Meals at all hours.

Silver novelties at Maley's jewelry store.

BIG DELIGHTED CROWDS

Flock to See the Wonderful Automatic Ex-
position in the Franey Building.

The most popular place in this city just
now is the Automatic Exposition at the
Franey building, corner Main and Oak
streets. Saturday night the building was
crowded with people who paid the pittance
of ten cents to see the great wonders. To-
day the same place was thronged, and people
went away to tell their neighbors what a
magnificent exhibit could be seen for a silver
dime. What took seventeen years of con-
stant labor to complete cannot fail to attract
the admiration of the people in large num-
bers.

A short description has already been given
in the HERALD, and more will be said in the
future concerning it. The more one sees
of it the more he is lost in wonder, love and
praise of what the patient brain and steady
hand of one man has wrought. The genial
gentleman who presides over the Swiss
Village is called by the multitude to explain
the wonder at least a score of times in the
afternoon, and as many more in the evening.

People are deeply interested. They see
and marvel, but their inquisitive natures
bubble up and they must know about this
eighth wonder of the world or the wonder of
the age. The HERALD representative dropped
in upon these gentlemen Saturday evening
and was met by a polite usher, who, though
the building is full to overflowing at all
times, sees that everyone gets a good place
from which to view the wonder.

Not a whit less inviting than the village
with its men and women laboring, flirting,
singing, walking, dancing, all that people in
real life do (yes, and more than some) with
the greatest of natural mystifying ease, none
the less interesting than the village we say,
are the other cabinets, where scenery of note
familiar to many, who gaze with fond re-
membrances of times gone-by, and lost in
wonderment at the naturalness of the produc-
tion.

Everything is life and activity, which is
difficult to depict correctly, and of which the
mechanical genius who constructed these re-
markable works, has made a great success of
its every technical point, that of nature.
The HERALD believes that no one who loves
art in the stage, where it comes closest to
nature's life, should miss this marvelous ex-
position, and has yet the first person to see
who regretted the expenditure of the 10
cents which it requires.

No stock of watches in gold or silver as
handsome and attractive in Shenandoah
as Holderman's. Selection larger, prices
lower.

Billy Gets Ten Years.

SPECIAL TO EVENING HERALD.
POTTSVILLE, Dec. 14.—John Billy, the
inmate of the Schuylkill county almshouse,
who was convicted at the last term of Crimi-
nal Court on a charge of having raped an
insane inmate of the institution, was this
morning sentenced to pay costs, six cents fine,
and serve ten years in solitary confinement.

Dr. M. S. Kistler Moves.

Dr. M. S. Kistler has removed his office
from 120 to 126 North Jardin street. 3t

Buy your slippers at the Factory Shoe
Store.

Schultz Escaped.

Joseph Schultz, the Pole who was arrested
on Friday night on a charge made by Mrs.
Sophia Levandoski and committed to the
lockup to think over a proposition to cor-
rupt the case by paying the woman's expenses
to join her husband in Brazil and the costs of
suit, escaped on Saturday night while walk-
ing with Special officer Sadsuky from the
lockup to the Justice's office.

Diamond rings, solitaires in prices from
\$.50 to \$150. Diamond earrings, diamond
pendants and lace pins at A. Holderman's,
corner Main and Lloyd streets.

Hart Lost the Match.

The shooting match between Fred. Hart, of
town, and Frank Cavanaugh, of Raven Run,
took place at the latter place on Saturday
afternoon. The match was won by Kavan-
augh who shot 3 birds out of seven, while his
opponent only captured one. Hart attributed
his defeat to the spring in his gun breaking.

Ladies' fine gold pens at Maley's.

Obituary.

Mr. and Mrs. Colfax Brown, of East Coal
street, have the sympathy of a large circle of
friends in the loss of their infant daughter,
Margaret, who died yesterday from spinal
meningitis. The funeral will take place from
the family residence, on East Coal street, at
2 p. m. on Wednesday.

Call and see our hand decorated china
handle umbrellas. At Brumm's.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.
Bean soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Dog Lost.

Councilman F. E. Magarity yesterday lost
a spotted beagle hound for which he offers a
reward.

MINING CIRCLES ACTIVE

Another Bore Hole For the Old Plank
Ridge Workings.

LARGE QUANTITIES OF COAL TH

The First Hole Will be Used as a Rope
For Hoisting and the Second For Blus-
ing Worked Out Parts—Super-
intendent Veith Inspects

There was considerable activity to-
day in the local circles of the Philadelphia and
Luzerne Coal and Iron Company. General M.
Superintendent John Veith was in town
visiting several places. As one of the
of the visit there is renewed activity in
gas house in the southern part of the
and a large force of men are engaged in
ferring a drilling plant from Jackson's
former place. Some months ago a bore
was made there, going down into the
ings of the old Plank Ridge colliery.
hole will be used as a rope way for ho-
purposes. A second bore hole is to be
twenty-five feet south and will be
slush the worked out portion of the
It will take about ten days to set the
plant in working order and about three
more to get in readiness for the slush-
ing.

There is an immense quantity of coal
in the old Plank Ridge workings, but not
not for the discovery of the slush-
ing plant and the parts now worked out
filled and made to support the surface
could never be removed. To take it
without the slush-ing would endanger
properties south of Cherry street,
west of the workings as far as West
and the receipts the company would
from the coal that would be taken out
not pay for the damage that the oper-
ation would cause. With the coal fill-
ing, ever, the coal can be removed with-
out slight injury to any part of the
slush-ing will in no wise interfere with the oper-
ing in getting out the coal and a large
force of men are now engaged in that
work. They are putting in pipes and
engines at the foot of the bore hole,
Buck mountain vein, and a slope
sunk from that place to the basin, where
work of getting out the coal will begin
parts of the mine to be shushed are
Mammoth, Skidmore, Seven Foot and
Mountain veins.

This morning Superintendent
Division Superintendent John Skeet
District Superintendent William Bro-
visited the West Shenandoah colliery
made an investigation of the place.
John Rhoads and his son, Henry, who
escaped being fatally suffocated by
damp. A repetition of such an acci-
dent be guarded against by running the
further up the breast. It is said that
be an ample safeguard, as there is plen-
ty in that part of the mine and all that
quired is to get the air to the place
where men were employed.

Plants make pretty and inexpensive
gifts for Christmas, and the finest can
be found at Payne's nursery, Girardville. 12-14

Arrested for Coal Stealing.

C. & I. Policeman Daniel Bedas
procured warrants from Justice Car-
binah of the Thomas Coal Company,
James Taylor and William Bayliff, of
them with stealing coal from a mine.
Taylor settled the case and Bayliff
given a hearing. It is not for the
the coal that the suits are brought,
break up the practice, as mining
breaches is endangering the Ringtown

Ladies' gold watches, the largest assort-
ment in the county. At Brumm's.

Held For Larceny.

On the 2nd of this month George B.
of town, borrowed a cart from a man
Shoop, stating that his own was out of
pair. He failed to return it and on 5th
Constable Phillips found the cart at
village, where it had been sold. Ye
Phillips arrested Bauman near Riv-
er. The latter had fled to escape ar-
rest.

You will go stray by not purchas-
ing holiday goods at Holderman's.

William Dooley Resigns.

William Dooley, of Girardville, an
efficient conductor on the Schuylkill
division line, has tendered his resignation
fellow-employees will present him
gold-headed cane previous to his de-
parture. Mr. Dooley has pure saloon
at the latter place, and will
charge some time during the present
winter.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets
druggists refund the money if it fails
to cure you.

Funeral of Charles Baldwin.
The remains of the late Charles B.
who was found dead on the mountain
near Pottsville, on Monday, were re-
moved to Easton and buried on Friday.
The jury at Pottsville, agreed that death
was a stroke of apoplexy, the marks
on the face being occasioned by the fall.

Our stock of primroses, in bloom,
beaten for variety. Payne's nursery,
Girardville. 12-14

Notice to Consumers.

Notice is hereby given to the con-
sumers of the Shenandoah Public Water
works due Nov. 1, 1896, must be paid
before Jan. 1, 1897, and in default
payment the water will be turned
off and the properties of the delinquents
subject to further notice. By order of the Wa-
ter Committee.
12-9-101 O. BETTERIDGE

Ladies' and gent's gold watch
at Maley's.

An Important Meeting.

An important meeting of the
Lodge No. 591, I. O. O. F., will be
evening. The degree team will
second degree and matters concern-
ing I. O. O. F. building will be dis-
cussed.

Diamonds, watches, rings, sil-
ver goods, cut glass and ban-
quet lamps, at A. Holderman's,
corner Main and Lloyd streets.

